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SUBJECT: SEMI-ANNUAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS/CONGRESSIONAL PRESENTATION

REF: STATE 12151

SECTIONA:

A. DATE AND DESCRIPTION OF ASSISTANCE AGREEMENTS:

ISRAEL NARCOTICS PROGRAM FUNDED BY U.S. AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH SERVICE. AGREEMENT 12-14-0605-3 CONDUCTED AT WEIZMANN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE, REHOVOTH, FOR DEVELOPMENT OF STRAINS FROM PAPAVER BRACTEATUM(POPPY) FOR ALKALOID PRODUCTION (\$109,078).

AGREEMENT 12-14-0605-4 VOLCANI INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURAL RESERACH, BEIT DAGAN, FOR WORK IN FIEDL EVALUATION OF AGRICULTURAL CHECMICALS FOR THE SELECTED CONTROL OF POPPY AND CANNABIS IN SELECTED CROPS(\$71,612).

THERE ARE NO NEW AGREEMENTS OR PROPOSAL WITH REGARD TO ENFORCEMENT, PRVENTION, TREATMENT, REABILITATION OR CROP/INCOME SUBSTITUITON.

B. TOTAL OBLIGATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

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C. EQUIPMENT

D. SUPPORT COSTS,  
E. DETAILS REGARDING TRAINING  
F. PERSONNEL DEVOTING MORE THAN 50 PERCENT TO NARCOTICS ACTIVITIES.  
NONE

SECTION B.

A. SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENTS:

ISRAELI CUSTOMS AGREED TO ACCEPT A TRAINING PROGRAM  
2/1-28/75 PRESENTD BY U.S. CUSTOMS SERICE DEALING WITH  
NARCOTICS INTERDICTION, COURSE TWO WEEKS IN LENGTH AND  
REPEATED 2/15/75. APPROXIMATELY 20 ISRAELI CUSTOMS OFFICIALS  
WILL ATTEND EACH COURSE AND 5 ISREL NATIONAL POLICE (INP)  
OFFICERS WILL ALSO ATTEND EACH COURSE.

B. ABUSE:

LOCAL PRESS IN 10/74 NOTED THEREARE ABOUT 1000 HARD DRUG  
ADDICTS IN ISRAEL TODAY COMPARED WITH 600 15 YEARS AGO.  
ISRAELI HEALTH MINISTRY CLAIMS THAT DRUG ADDICTION IS ON  
A LEVEL SIMILAR WITH THAT IN FRANCE, ITALY AND ENGLAND BUT  
LOWER THAN IN THE U.S. JAPAN AND SWEDEN. THE MINISTRY DOES  
NOT KEEP STATISTICS ON THE USE OFSOFT DRUGS, SUCH AS  
HASHISH, BUT CLAIMS TO BELIEVE THER THERI USE IS DECREASING  
AN AVERAGE OF 70 ADDCTS ARE IN PSYCHIATRIC WARDS OR HOSPTIALS  
THROUGHOUT ISRAEL AT ANY GIVEN TIME BUT THEY ARE RELASED AFTER  
A FEW DAYS. THE AVERAGE AGER OF ADDCTS IS 24, ABOUT 25 PERCENT  
BETWEEN THE AGES OF 16 AND 19 AND THE MAJORITY BELONG TO THE  
ORIENTAL AND LOWER INCOME GROUPS. 25 PERCENT OF ADDICTS ARE FEMALES.  
HOWEVER, AN ARTICAL IN THE LOCAL PRESS ON 12/13/74 CLAIMS THAT BOTH  
IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF DRUGS HAVE DECREASED AND THAT SOFT AND HARD  
DRUGS APPEAR TO HAVE LOST THEIR POPULARITY IN ISRAELI AS WELL AS  
IN MANY OTHER WESTERN WORLD COUNTRIES. THE SOUCRS FOR THIS  
STATEMENT WAS THE INP.(NOTE: DURING PAST YEAR , GOI HAS  
UPGRADED ITS CAPABILITY TO COMBAT DRUG TRAFFIC, IN  
COOPERATION WITH USG AGENCIES, IT IS LIKELY , THEREFORE  
THAT THERE HAS BEEN DECREASE IN TRAFFIC DUE TO  
BETTER ENFORCEMENT METHODS.)

C. PRODCUTION AND PROCESSING:

NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE.

D. TRAFFICKING TRENDS:

DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD THE ONLY INFORMATION  
AVAILABEL WITH REGARD TO MEANS OF TRANSPORT, ROUTES  
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AND DESTINATION IS AS FOLLOWS: ISRAELI CARGO SHIPS  
TO THE PORT OF MARSEILLE, FRANCE.

E. REGIONAL AND MULTILATERLA COOPERATION:

INP HA EXTENDED EXCELLENT COOPERATION TO DEA  
REGIONAL OFFICES IN PARIS AND ANKARA ON BOTH CASES  
ORIGNATING IN ISREL AND IN FRANCE. DURING VISITS  
OF DEA PERSONNEL TO ISRAEL, EXTENSIVE  
COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE WITH RENDERED DEAAGENTS ON SEVERAL CASES,

DEA, PARIS , HAS SECURED THE ASSISTANCE AND COOPERATION OF FRENCH AUTHORITIES ON BEHALF OF CASES OF INTEREST TO INP. INVESTIGATIONS IN MARSEILLE AND ISRAEL CONTINUING.

F. EMBASSY AND HOST GOVERNMENT ACTIVITIES:

EMBASSY CONTINUES TO FRUNISH ITEMS TO REGIONAL DIRECTORS, DEA, IN ANKARA AND PARIS IN HANDLING NUMBEROUS REQUEST FROM DEA THROUGH ASSISTANCE OF INP.

G. ENFORCEMENT:

NO SIGNIFICANT DATA DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD.

H. INCOME SUBSTITUTION,

I. TREATMENT/REHABILIATATION/

EDUCATION:

NOT APPLICABLE, NO SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENTS.

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